

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Original) An interlabial pad comprising:
  - an absorbent body for absorbing liquid; and
  - a cover body covering the absorbent body in an enclosing manner and comprising a surface side sheet having a permeable property for liquid and a back face side sheet having an impermeable property against liquid; the interlabial pad being fitted between labia with the surface side sheet set at a body side;
  - wherein the cover body is provided with a continuous or discontinuous parting zone that is parted by actions of water, along which the cover body is separated into a plurality of small sheet pieces when water acts.
2. (Original) The interlabial pad according to Claim 1;
  - wherein the parting zone is provided in the back face side sheet.
3. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to Claim 1 ~~or~~ 2;
  - wherein the parting zone is a seam part formed by overlapping the plurality of small sheet pieces one another.
4. (Original) The interlabial pad according to Claim 3;
  - wherein the plurality of small sheet pieces are adhered together at the seam part by an adhesive agent.
5. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to Claim 3 ~~or~~ 4;
  - wherein the seam part is a longitudinal seam part extending in a longitudinal direction of the interlabial pad; and
  - a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the longitudinal seam part and covers a side closer to a longitudinal central line of the interlabial pad is positioned at an absorbent body side.

6. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to Claim 3 ~~or~~ 4;  
wherein the seam part is a lateral seam part extending in a lateral direction of the interlabial pad; and  
a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the lateral seam part and covers a side that becomes a dorsal side when the interlabial pad is fitted between labia is positioned at the absorbent body side.
7. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to ~~any one of Claims~~ Claim 3 to 5;  
wherein the seam parts contain a longitudinal seam part extending in the longitudinal direction of the interlabial pad and a lateral seam part extending in the lateral direction of the interlabial pad; and  
a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the longitudinal seam part and covers a side closer to a longitudinal central line of the interlabial pad is positioned at the absorbent body side; and a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the lateral seam part and covers a side that becomes a dorsal side when the interlabial pad is fitted between labia is positioned at the absorbent body side.
8. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to ~~any one of Claims~~ Claim 1 to 7;  
wherein the back face side sheet is equipped with a mini-sheet piece on a surface at a side opposite to the absorbent body side.
9. (Currently amended) The interlabial pad according to ~~any one of Claims~~ Claim 2 to 8;  
wherein the back face side sheet is made uneven at least at the surface opposite to the absorbent body side.
10. (Original) A packaging body for individual package of interlabial pad, comprising:

a packaging sheet; and  
an interlabial pad covered by the packaging sheet;  
wherein the packaging sheet is provided with a continuous or discontinuous parting zone that is parted by actions of water, along which the packaging sheet is separated into a plurality of small sheet pieces when water acts.

11. (Original) The packaging body for individual package of interlabial pad according to Claim 10;

wherein the packaging sheet is a liquid impermeable sheet with an impermeable property against liquid.

12. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 2;

wherein the parting zone is a seam part formed by overlapping the plurality of small sheet pieces one another.

13. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 4;

wherein the seam part is a longitudinal seam part extending in a longitudinal direction of the interlabial pad; and

a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the longitudinal seam part and covers a side closer to a longitudinal central line of the interlabial pad is positioned at an absorbent body side.

14. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 4;

wherein the seam part is a lateral seam part extending in a lateral direction of the interlabial pad; and

a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the lateral seam part and covers a side that becomes a dorsal side when the interlabial pad is fitted between labia is positioned at the absorbent body side.

15. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 4;  
wherein the seam parts contain a longitudinal seam part extending in the longitudinal direction of the interlabial pad and a lateral seam part extending in the lateral direction of the interlabial pad; and  
a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the longitudinal seam part and covers a side closer to a longitudinal central line of the interlabial pad is positioned at the absorbent body side; and a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the lateral seam part and covers a side that becomes a dorsal side when the interlabial pad is fitted between labia is positioned at the absorbent body side.
16. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 5;  
wherein the seam parts contain a longitudinal seam part extending in the longitudinal direction of the interlabial pad and a lateral seam part extending in the lateral direction of the interlabial pad; and  
a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the longitudinal seam part and covers a side closer to a longitudinal central line of the interlabial pad is positioned at the absorbent body side; and a sheet piece which overlaps the other sheet piece at the lateral seam part and covers a side that becomes a dorsal side when the interlabial pad is fitted between labia is positioned at the absorbent body side.
17. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 2;  
wherein the back face side sheet is equipped with a mini-sheet piece on a surface at a side opposite to the absorbent body side.
18. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 3;  
wherein the back face side sheet is equipped with a mini-sheet piece on a surface at a side opposite to the absorbent body side.

19. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 4;  
wherein the back face side sheet is equipped with a mini-sheet piece  
on a surface at a side opposite to the absorbent body side.
20. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 3;  
wherein the back face side sheet is made uneven at least at the surface  
opposite to the absorbent body side.
21. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 4;  
wherein the back face side sheet is made uneven at least at the surface  
opposite to the absorbent body side.
22. (New) The interlabial pad according to Claim 5;  
wherein the back face side sheet is made uneven at least at the surface  
opposite to the absorbent body side.